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Dr. Haskell Unable to Obtain Informa-

Mme. Tsilka,

(Associated Press.)

New York, Dec. 5.—Rev. Henry C. Haskell, D. D., superintendent of the board mission at Samekav, Bulgarlia, has sent the following cable to the World regarding Miss Stone and Mme. Tsilka:

"There has been no result as yet from our efforts to ascertain the truth about the reports that Miss Stone and Mme. Tsilka are dead. In the present weather, with the snow many feet deep on the mountains, travelling there is slow and dangerous, and I do not expect definite information for two or three days. It is denied that they are in the Rilo monastery."

The Staff Which Has Been Selected by

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(Special to the Times.)

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SUGGESTED CONFERENCE OF REPRESENTATIVES

It Is Probable That Several Changes Will Be Made in the Commonwealth Tariff.

Ottawa, Dec. 4 (delayed in transmir sion) .- A report from Canada's commercial agent, J. S. Larke, at Sydney, Australia, is received. He says that while monwealth government was sustained in its policy. mtimations given of changes yet to be made to the tariff. Premier Barton, in referring to a reciprocal trade agreement with Canada, said that a good many matters would have to be received from an authoritative source. Some information would have to be had as to the goods which should have the benefits of a preferential tariff. The recent experience of Canada in connection with Germany was not, Mr. Barton thought, very encouraging. There was a suggestion that a conference of representatives of Australia, Canada and South Africa should meet at the time of the coronation. He feared, however, that such occasions were not favorable to the holding of a conference of that kind.

Mr. Larke goes on to say that little tariff. Premier Barton, in referring to

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Mr. Larke goes on to say that little interest was taken in this matter in Australia, and only one leading newspaper took it up. He believes if the people were informed upon the subject they would favor a proposition from Canada. In reference to the cable, Mr. Larke says that the Eastern cable has been laid from the Cape to Australia, and is now in use. A cable across the Australian Bight will be laid in a few weeks to South Australia, and to meet such competition the Pacific cable promoters will require to be active. Mr. Larke then proceeds to discuss trade with Australia in a variety of lines, as he always does.

Cessus Returns. (Special to the Times.)

Ottawa, Dec. 5.—Col. Eyans has selected his staff. The complete list is as follows: In command, Col. Eyans; second in command, Major Hamilton Merritt; adjutant, Sergeant-Major Church, Mounted Police, Regina; quartermaster, Quartermaster-Sergeant J. Graham, of the Winnipeg Mounted Infantry; medical officer, A. J. Devine, A. M. S., Winnipeg; veterinary-surgeon, R. Riddell, Calgary. The list has been sanctioned and forwarded to the war office. Its approval is a mere matter of form.

The Imperial authorities have cabled that they will send a British troopship to Canada for the mounted infantry. It has been practically decided to mobilize the troops at Halifax.

The French population of the other provinces, outside of Quebec, are as follows: Ontario, 163,000; New Brunswick, 80,800; Nova Scotia, 44,500; Prince Edward Island, 21,000; Northwest, 13,000, and British Columbia, 4,-900. Queen Wilhelmina and Her Husband

ASSISTING FILIPINOS.

Gen, Chaffee Taking Steps to Prevent the Natives Obtaining Supplies.

Amsterdam, Dec. 5.—With the view of allaying public indignation and excitement, semi-official intimations have been circulated to the effect that Queen Wilhelmina has forgiven her husband, Prince Henry of the Netherlands, the suggestion being that the public ought Manila, Dec. 5.—Gen, Chaffee has is sued orders for the closing of all ports in the Laguan and Batangas provinces. The quartermasters there will cease pay-ing rents to the Filipinos for buildings ing rents to the Filipinos for buildings used for military purposes, as it is known that a large proportion of the money so paid finds its way to the insurgents in the shape of contributions, and Gen, Chaffee intends that no more government funds shall find their way into the hands of the enemy. The reason for closing the ports is that too many supplies are found to be getting into the pockets of the insurgents. Gen. Chaffee intends giving Gen. Ball, commanding the troops in the Batangas, every assistance he may require to subdue the insurrection. couple have been dining together and gradually resuming normal relations. Yesterday they walked together and afterward drove through the castle park. The relations between Prince Henry and the members of the court are, however, very strained. The former cordiality has been replaced by an attitude of frigid politeness on the part of the Prince Consort, and apparently the gentlemen of the court are equally indisposed to gloss over recent occurrences.

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STEAMER MISSING. e Discovery Overdue on Return 's From Valdez-Search Instituted,

(Special to the Times.)

(Associated Press.)
Chicago, Dec. 5.—When President Springer had called the convention of the National Live Stock Association to order to-day hy Live Stock Association to order to-day he said the programme for the day was one of exceptional interest to cattlemen. The programme called for papers from Dr. J. H. Senner, of New York; Prof. Andrew H. Seule, of the Tennessee Agricultural College; Hon. F. E. Warren, of Wyoming; A. P. Doremus, state engineer 3f Dtah; and Col. G. W. Simpson, of Texas Mr. Soule's paper telling of the cattle business in the middle south was the first one heard by the convention. (Special to the Times.)
Vancouver, Dec. 5.—Steamer City of Seattle, arriving last night, brought news of the disappearance of the steamer Discovery from Juneau. The steamer Piscovery from Juneau. The steamer runs to Valdez, and was a week overdue on the return trip. She may have been caught in the early ice. The steamer Elihu Thompson, of Seattle, arrived at Juneau on Friday from Valdez, having seen nothing of the Discovery. She was immediately chartered to return in search of the missing steamer.

Capt. Dordrecht, one of the Seattle's passengers, was the first man coming out from Dawson in fourteen days, The river was open in several places, but he heard nothing of the White Horse floods.

DRESDEN BANK FAILURE.

(Associated Press.)

Dresden, Dec. 5.—The Dresden Savings & Loan bank has made an assignment. The bank's share capital is 17,000,000 marks. Its depositors number 7,000 with aggregate deposits of 7,000,000 marks.

STEWART'S, FORT ST.

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ENTERTAINED BY CITY

Prince and Princess of Wales Attend -Luncheon at the Guildhall, Lon-don-Address Presented,

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(Associated Press.)

London, Dec. 5.—The city entertained the Prince and Princess of Wales this afternoon at_a luncheon given in the Guildhall, and presented them with an address of congratulation on their successful tour of the British Empire. The Royal party drove from York House to the Guildhall in an open four-horsed landau, escorted by Life Guards. They met everywhere with the heartiest reception from the sightseers lining the brightly bedecked and troop-guarded route. The seene in the library of the corporation's historic quarters, where their Royal-Highnesses were received by the Lord Mayor, Sir Jos. *C. Dinsdale, and the corporation, was picturesque. Levee or diplomatic dress, uniforms or judical robes, were worn by the majority of the guests, among whom were the agents-general of the colonies. Prominent among the other notables present were Lord Salisbury, Lord Rosebery and Mr. and Mrs. Chamberlain

LORD STRATHCONA.

Although Confined to Bed His Condition Does Not Give Cause for Alarm.

(Associated Press.)

New York, Dec. 5.—According to the London correspondent of a tig Tribune, Lord Stratheona's condition does not at present give cause for any alarm, but he is still confined to his bed as the result of an inrounned to mis bed as the result of an in-jury to his head caused by a nasty fall just before sailing from Cauada a fortnight ago. He will not be able to take part in the re-ception to the Prince and Princess of Wales at the Guildhall, or preside a a lecture on "French Cauada" at the Institute te-day.

Progress Satisfactory. (Special to the Times.)

Ottawa, Dec. 5.—The following cubic har been received by Sir Wilfrid Laurier is answer to an inquiry as to the health of

observe inflammation of one ear. Pro-tress is slow but satisfactory. The could-lon has nothing to do with the fall Lord Stratheona sustained in Mentreal from

Associated Press.)
Bridgeport, Conn., Dec. 5.—The British
bark Bristol, of Windsor, N. S., from New
York, reported last night lying off Pendeld
reef in distress with sails and sheets frozen
and seven of her crew helpless from exposure, was still in the same position at
eight o'clock this morning. It is expected
that a tog will go to the vessel's assistance from this port during the forenoon,
earrying a physician to give aid to the suf-

EXCHEQUER COURT

ARISING OUT OF THE ALL-CANADIAN RAILWAY

Messrs. Mackenzie & Mann Want the Government to Pay \$302,717 and Interest.

(Special to the Times.)
Ottawa, Dec. 5.—The claim of Messra.
Makenzie & Mann, which arose out of
the proposed Yukon railway, is to be referred to the Exchequer court. An orderin-council has been passed referring the
amount, which is \$302,717, to the court
for its decision as to what ought to be
paid.

BRITISH LIBERALS AT

SIXES AND SEVENS

Meeting of National Federation Demonstrates That Discord is Rampant in the Party.

(Associated Press.)

New York, Dec. 5.—The chaotic condition of the Liberal party was never more noticeable than at the meeting of the National Liberal Federation at Derby, says the London correspondent of the Tribune. A resolution calling on the government to amount to famounce the terms on which they were prepared to conclude peace in South Africa was not passed without a noisy scene occasioned by differences of opinion in regard to the attitude taken in psy Lord Milner, and the chairman was compelled to Intervene to restore order.

Mr. Emmot, Liberal member for Oldham, objected to words declaring it essential, with a view to the conclusion of peace, that a special commissioner should be dispatched to South Africa. Cheerand groans greeted his statement that he would accept no vote of censure on the Liberal party are not differences on mere matters of detail nor are they the result of the war. The dissolution of the Liberal party are not differences on mere matters of detail nor are they the result of the war. The dissolution of the Liberal party are not differences on mere matters of detail nor are they the result of the war. The dissolution of the Liberal party are not differences on mere matters of detail nor are they the result of the war. The dissolution of the Liberal party are not differences on mere matters of detail nor are they the result of the war. The dissolution of the party began in 1885, and the war has hastened its progress, which was retarded for a time by Mr. Gladstone's personal influence. After the gold discovery in the Yukon

THE WALLA WALLA

TOWED INTO ANGELES BY THE 'FRISCO LINER

All of Her Crew Are on Board-Big Salvage Claim Will Be Laid Against Her.

An alarming dispatch from Astoria, referred to in the marine news in another column, that the ship Nelson had turned turtle off Astoria and that the crew of 28 men had been drowned, proved to-day to be totally false. Early this forenoon the San Francisco boat, Walla Walla, was reported from Otter Point towing a disabled ship, and notwithstanding the reported turning turtle of the Nelson, marine men in the city were of the opinion that it might be her. This was confirmed later in the day, when the Walla Walla put into Port Angeles, and in response to dispatches sent by the Times, a report was received CONDUCTOR'S DEATH Angeles, and in response to dispatches sent by the Times, a report was received that the rescued ship was the Nelson, and that her erew were all aboard, and

safe.
The dispatch received by the Times

Chlengo, Dec. 5.—While "guarding the fives of passengers in his trolley ear, Conductor Michael J. Dunworth, of the South Husted street line, lost his life at a grade crossing. The ear, northbound, was crowded with people going to the steek show. As it approached the Grand Trunk track at 40th street, Dunworth ran abead to see if the way was clear. A passenger train was approaching from the east. While he was approaching from the east. While he was still swinging the danger signal a switch engine, approaching from the west, ground lim to death in sight of the horrified passengers on the ear.

BARK IN DISTRESS.

(Associated Press.)

Bridgeport, Conn., Dec. 5.—The British bark Bristed, of Windsor, N. S., from New York, reported last night lying off Penfield rect in distress with sails and sheets froze and seven of her crew helpless from exposure, was still in the same position. The Nelson, being a British ship, certain legal advantage are said to be derived through towing her to an American legal devantage are said to be derived through towing her to an American legal devantage are said to be derived through towing her to an American legal advantage are said to be derived through towing her to an American legal advantage are said to be derived through towing her to an American legal advantage are said to be derived through towing her to an American legal advantage are said to be derived through towing her to an American legal advantage are said to be derived through towing her to an American legal advantage are said to be derived through towing her to an American legal advantage are said to be derived through towing her to an American legal advantage are said to be derived through towing her to an American port, and hence the reason of the Walla walla going to Port Angeles in stead of coming on to Victoria, her destination. The vessel is owned by Shaw,

posure, was still in the same position at clash o'clock this morning. It is expected that a tug will go to the vessel's assistance from this port during the forenoon, carrying a physician to give aid to the suffering men.

FEDERATION OF LABOR.

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Sermeton, Pa., Dec. 5.—The twenty-first annual convention of the American Federation of Labor was called to order shortly affer ten o'clock this morning by President Samuel Gompers, and the greatest labor convention that has probably been held in this country was under way. It is estimated that 275 delegates are in attendance for this country and Europe, representing Lock,000 working people.

Campbell's Prescription

Store

TO RUILD STEAMERS

Clergue Interests for Yards at

New York, Dec. 3.-Sir Christopher

river would be overcome by immense ice crushing steamers, which would be con structed.

TELEGRAPHIC TICKS.

Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal, the Canadian high commissioner, who has been confined to his house in London with a severe cold for some time, is still seriously ill. He cannot leave his bed, and is unable to do any business.

travelled several years over England with a Punch and Judy show. He thought the

a Punch and Judy show. He thought the Paris exhibition would be a profitable en-terprise, but it proved an utter failure. Then came destitution, followed by the death of the wife. Then the poor fellow shut himself up in a solitary room, en-kindled some charcoal, threw himself on the bed, and awaited the end.

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Sir C. Furness Has Arranged With

MOUNTED INFANTRY TO GATHER AT HALIFAX

Liberal Has Been Returned in the West Huron By-Election-Railway Extension.

Superior.

He will erect steel works which will cost approximately \$10,000,000, and the iron and coal fields of Canada will furnish the raw material.

Before sailing Sir Christopher said that during the two months he had spent in this country he had found why the United States manufacturer is crowding the British producer. Because he believes that Canada is sure to profit by the greatness of the United States he has chosen to locate his next project there. The drawback of ice in the St. Lawrence river would be overcome by immense ice. reditors of Messrs. J. Hoodless & Son, furniture dealers, the statement showed Biabilities \$36,552.02, and assets \$42. 004.04. The chief creditor is the Can adian Bank of Commerce, \$27,722.97.

Goderich. Ont., Dec. 4 .- Hon, J. T. Garrow (Liberal) is returned in West fluron by election by a majority of 267 so far as heard from. Returns from out-lying districts may reduce this somewhat, but the result is in no doubt.

Ask for Investigation.
Winnipeg, Man., Dec. 4.—Hon, David
Laird, commissioner of Indian affairs,
was this afternoon presented with a petition from ex-officers of the St, Paul's
Industrial school. Middlechurch, requesting the Dominion government to investigate the management. The chief ground
of complaint is that they were "summarily dismissed."

Found Dead, David Keeleyside was found dead in a lalgary hotel this morning.

Charged Against Doctor. Charged Against Doctor.

London, Ont., Dec. 3.—As a sequel to the verdict of the coroner's jury at the Kithourne inquest, Dr. Alexander Grahame was arrested charged with murder. The jury, who were out for nearly two hours, unanimously returned a verdict to the effect that the "infant child of Emma Kilbourne came to its death by its birth being caused prematurely by Dr. Alexander Grahame, with the consent of the mother." The British cruiser Tribune, which sailed from Colon on Sunday with the British consul on board, has returned to Colon from Bocas del Torro, bringing news that the latter town is in the hands of the government, and that its inhabitants are gaily celebrating the recapture of Colon

Two aldermen indulged in fisticuffs: t last night's meeting of the city council. Ald. Oimstead had the floor and was in-terrapted frequently by Ald, Jolly, who said several times that Olmstead was lying. Oimstead responded sharply, and the mayor interfered. Oimstead retired to the ante-room to indulge in a smoke. lision near Seneca last Wednesday night between trains Nos. 13 and 4 was caused by the negligence of the Wabash Rail-toad Company and the trainmen of train No. 4. Jolly, not content to let matters rest, followed Olmstead and tapped him on the shoulder, "You were lying in there George," he said. This led to hot words and blows, in which Jolly appeared to be getting the worst, when his colleagues rushed to the scene and with difficulty

Gather at Halifax.

Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 4.-The Mounted Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 4.—The Mounted Rifles are to be concentrated at Hali-fax instead of Ottawa. This change is made because it was found necessary to send the horses right through and men and horses must be together. The corps is to be taken to South Africa on an Imperial transport.

Bishop Orth, of Victoria, is here coneulting Hon, Clifford Sifton about the
welfare of British Columbia Iudians un
der his religious care,

Postage to Cook Islands,

Postage to Cook Islands.

The post office department has aunounced that correspondence including parcels, for Cook islands, will hereafter be sent at the same postage rates and seme conditions as apply to New Zealend. Parcels from Canada to Cook islands should be included with parcels addressed to New Zealand in parcel mails dispatched by the Canadian-Australian steamers.

Stead's Works Thrown Out.

The Y. M. C. A. have thrown out Stead's publications owing to his pro-Boer proclivities.

Will There Be an Election?

Toronto, Dec. 4.—Rumors that the Ross government has decided to go to the country instead of holding another sersion continue in circulation. The government held a council meeting this afternoon when considerable progress was made in the consideration of the estimates for presentation at the coming position.

Moving Westward.

It looks as if the Grand Trunk railway were heading towards the Northwest, A contract was let to-day to the Grand Trunk by the Magnetawan Railway.

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An event held a council meeting to it when consideration of the early acts for presentation at the continue was fit the Grand Trunk railway were beading towards the Northwest, A continuer was let Tookay to the Grand Trunk by the Magnetawan Railway Company, the directors of which are Graind Trunk tofficers, to build and operate a line from Burks Palls, 40 gailes south of North Bay, to Lake Magnetawan. The line is short, but it is steep for the drawn. The line is short but it is steep for the drawn. The line is short but it is steep for the drawn. The line is short but it is steep for the drawn. The line is short

HARDRESS CLARKE,

UNITED IN WEDLOCK.

James M. Mellis and Miss Alyce Maud Allen Married Last Evening.

Allen Married Last Evening.

In the First Presbyterian church last night Rev. Dr. Campbell united in wedlock Mr. James Mouroe Mellis, youngest son of Robt, Mellis, of Montreal, and Miss Alyce Maud Allen. The ceremony was performed in the presence of a large number of friends, the edifice being fairly well filled.

The bridegroom was supported by Mr. Fred Galbraith, and the bride was attended by Miss Maud Munn. The bride was given away by Mr. S. R. Newton, manager for J. W. Mellor, in whose establishment the bridegroom is a valued employee. Jesse Longfield presided at the organ. Furness, M. P., left for England to-day, taking with him a signed contract for the building of 13 freight-carrying steamers of from 6,000 to 10,000 tous dead-weight capacity, the capital, near-ly \$4,000,000, to be furnished by Ameri-

cans.

Besides this he has also made arrangements with she Clergue interests at Sault Ste Marie, Canada, for the erection of an immense ship-building plant, to be erected at Sault Ste Marie close to the junction of the Soo canal and Lake

manger for 3. W. Menor, in whose establishment the bridegroom is a valued employee, Jesse Longfield presided at the organ.

The bride was charmingly dressed in cream crepoh, trimmed with white Ch'na silk with pearl passementerie, veil and orange blossoms, and carried a shower bouquet of white chrysanthemums. The bridesmaid wore white French lawn, trimmed with lace, and hat trimmed with purple and white, and carried a shower bouquet of purple and white chrysanthemums. The bridegroom's gift to the bride was a gold watch and chain, and to the bridesmaid a chased gold brooch. The presents were numerous, showing the popularity of the young couple. The bride's going-away dress was of gens ladies cloth, stitched with higher shade of satin, with black velvet hat.

hat,

After the ceremony a reception was held at the residence of Mrs. Dwyer's, No. 2 Blanchard street; where a large number of friends assembled to bestow congratulations on the newly-wedded couple. The bridegroom is well-known in lacrosse circles, having on many occasions upheld the traditions of the blue and white in well played and vigorously contested matches. The bride is highly esteemed by a wide circle of friends, and the wealth of presents received by both can be readily accepted as ample evidence of their popularity. Mr. and Mrs. Mellis left on the Charmer this morning for the Mainland, where they will spend their honeymoon. They will reside in this city. Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal, the and is unable to do any business.

A body of students at Warsaw on Wednesday made a hostile demonstration before the German consulate. They tore down and destroyed the German escutcheon over the door and stoned the windows of the consulate. They dispersed on the arrival of the chief of police.

police.

Pekin native papers say Yuan Shi Kai, the governor of Chihli, proposes to recrganize the Pei Yang naval forces under British and United States instructors, and that he will consolidate the military forces of Chihli into an army corps numbering 100,000 men under foreign instructors. Sale of Work Continued Successfully Yesterday Afternoon—Meritorious Concert Last Night,

The bazaar held during the past two days at the Philharmonic hall closed with an excellent entertainment last evening. The ladies of the Reformed Episcopal church may well be gratified at the results of their efforts to make at the results of their efforts to make the affair a success for they succeeded from every point of view. Those who at tended either the sale of work in the afternoon or the entertainments of the evenings had a full return for their en-

The sale of work was continued yester-

The sale of work was continued yesterday afternoon, and a good business was done by those in charge of the different booths. The fish pond found many patrons, while the palmist and silhouette booths attracted many.

The principal event of the evening it may safely be said was the ping pong tournament. Many took part in the game, which was much enjoyed. The winner of the oil painting "Chrysanthmums and Sunflowers" was announced as George Langley, who held ticket No. 44. The ladies served lunch to a large number.

umber.
The Cecilian orchestra contributed sevtumbling act, and the latter gave a club swinging exhibition. There was a good attendance, and those present went away thoroughly satisfied with the perform-

NAVY LEAGUE.

Meeting With Sealers to Form a Naval Reserve on December 12th.

COMMUNICATIONS.

SETTING COLONIST STRAIGHT.

To the Editor.—The Colonist appears to think that it may hit without being hit back, and objects to my strictures upon it at my late lecture.

Here are my reasons for detesting and despising the Colonist: It is a public organ which is published in the interests of one man, and paid for by the public, whose opinion and utterances it habitually misrepresents or burkes. It is generally wrong in any of its conclusions, and habitually dishonest in its representations of those with whom it disagrees.

agrees.

For instance, it has recently refused to publish any account of Mr. Bodwell's meeting, though that meeting was attended by leading men of all stripes of politics. This is not only cowardly in the extreme, but dishonest to its readers, who have a right to know what other reople are thinking besides the editor of the Colonist and his principal owner.

'Again, in the report of my address in to-day's Colonist it is stated that I said that the proposed Tourist Association of

to-day's Colonist it is stated that I said that the proposed Tourist Association of Victoria was all tommy rot.

That is deliberately untrue, I never mentioned, never thought of the Tourist Association, with which I am in hearty sympathy, and to further the ends of which I have done some little work my self in the past.

The Colonist alleges that I expressed regret "that the French had not forgotten their mother tongue." I did not, I regretted that they had not adopted ours, and that we did not in Canada all speak the same language.

and that we did not in Canada all speak the same language.

And so throughout the piece the Colonist can't refrain from misstating the utterances of those opposed to it, if it dares to publish them at all.

I challenge the Colonist to produce evidence that I mentioned the Tourist Association at my lecture, and if I didn't, and if it has any decency left, I demand an analogy.

and if it has any decency lett, I declared an apology.

In conclusion, I may say that as long as the Colonist is the organ of one man; as long as it burkes one side of a question to enforce the other; as long as it insists upon publishing only what suits its owner, I shall consider it a greater danger and curse to Victoria even than the Chinese, and shall hit it with both hands whenever I feel inclined to. s whenever I feel inclined to, CLIVE PHILLIPPS-WOLLEY.

To the Editor:—Amongst other important questions brought before the Victoria Board of Trade at the meeting on Tuesday last was that of the trade difficulties which are encountered by Canadian vessels plying to and from Skugway. It was conceded that something definite should be urged to secure a fair-share of the Yukon trade to our vessels, which hitters the secure as the secure of the Yukon trade to our vessels, which hitters the secure as the secure of the Yukon trade to our vessels, which hitters the secure of the Yukon trade to our vessels, which hitters the secure of the Yukon trade to our vessels, which hitters the secure of the Yukon trade to our vessels, which hitters the secure of the Yukon trade to our vessels, which hitters the secure of the Yukon trade to our vessels. which hitherto has been greatly in favor of the United States. The Seattle Chamber of Commerce, loudly seconded by the Skagway Chamber of Commerce Victoria, and the Board of Trade of Van-couver, to memorialize the government at Ottawa through the Lieut. Governor of British Columbia, to urge the settlement of the boundary dispute, so that British Columbia could enjoy her rights, free from the hindrances offered by our neighbors?

A. B.

Victoria, December 5th, 1901.

CANCER. A REMARKABLE CURE.

BRITISH COLUMBIA POLITICS.

Reserve on December 12th.

The executive of the British Columbin to be a considered on the Navy League was held yesterday afternoon, with Capt. J. G. Cox in the chair.

Sister Frances. of Vancouver, was made an honorary member of the league in recognition of her splendid work in connection with the Vancouver meeting. Capt. Eddie, the secretary of the Vancouver branch, reported a steady growth in that branch. The question of deserters from the Royal navy and of docking facilities for H. M. ships were other subjects which received attention.

It was decided to hold a meeting with the sealers of the port, with a view to forming a naval reserve, in the board of trade rooms on Thursday. December 12th. The sub-committee having the matter in charge reported that they found the sealers to be much interested in the project.

A daring highway robbery took place recently on the road between Wileannia and White Cliffs, New South Waies, when an armed and masked cyclist "stuck up" the capel, and, after wounding one of the passengers with a revolver shot, role off with money and opais representing a total value of £4.60. The thief was very cool and deliberate, keeping the driver and his three passengers lined up against a fence for over an hour while he emptied the mail bags and examined their contents.

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gain or advancement which he may from the pursuit of his ordinary con There is the right ring about this.

Personal. Sherwood Hodgins, of H. M. S. Warspite, is on leave for a few weeks, and is staying in town with his father, Frank Hodgins, for Cloynewood. Sherwood Hodgins has just passed his examination as acting subleutement, and has been granted a few weeks' leave before going on to England.—Toronto Globe.

D. R. Young, managing director of th

Similkameen Valley Coal (Company, of Ashnola, arrived last night from Vancouver He is in the city on business relating to the company represented by him.

Hon. J. D. Prentice, minister of finance, leaves for the East to-night. He will meet Mrs. Prentice at Habitax on her return from England, and will possibly visit New York before returning.

C. Wilson and family, of Winnipeg; J. Mackay, of Vancouver; P. C. Dormitzer, of Scottly Winnipeg; J.

Seattle, Wash.; and J. Burges and wife, of Seattle, are among those staying at the Do-minion hotel. Guy Macgowan and S. P. Moody were among the passengers from the Terruinal City by the steamer Charmer last evening.

D. Rabbit, of the Armstrong Milling Co., Armstrong, B. C., is a guest at the Dominion hotel, F. S. Falls, of Chatham, Ont., is visiting his brother, J. P. Falls, of the Hamilton

Charmer.

J. Bennett and G. Bennett, of Mayne Island, are among the guests at the Dawson hotel:

John Gunn, of the contracting firm of Bowes & Gunn, of Winnipeg, is in the city.

J. E. Gilmour, the Vancouver cannery man, is staying at the Victoria hotel.

G. M. Maynard, of Alberni, is among the guests at the Victoria hotel.

D. E. Brockland, of San Francisco, is staying at the Victoria botel.

P. Land, of Mount Sicker, is a guest at the Dawson hotel.

G. Magnesen, of Van Anda, is at the Victoria hotel.

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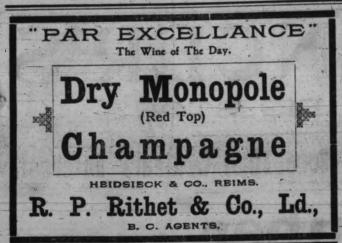
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remained off shore until daylight, yester-

AT THE OUTER WHARF.

Those who riewed the Shinano Maru, of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha line, which arrived yesterday from the Orient, saw the model of all that company's recently constructed ships. It is after the Shinano Maru that the Kaga Maru was designed, and it was also on her lines Shinano Maru that the Kaga Maru was designed, and it was also on her lines that the Iyo Maru has been built. This latter vessel is soon to be placed on the British Columbia route. She has been given into the command of Capt. Parson, and will be sailing for Victoria in the near future. Although this was the first call of the Shinano Maru, she has been a year or more in service. She is almost identical in appearance to the

Steamer City of I uebia, which sails for san Francisco this evening, will carry-as Victoria passengers B, Gordon, wife and son, Mrs. L, Wood, K, Yawasaka, A, W. Dow, Miss M, Street, Mrs. A. Tate, Miss J, Holmes, Mrs. A. P. Briggs, H. C. Howard and wife, A, T. Falls, E.-H. Gillespie, C. Wilson and Mrs. Wilson

Mrs. Wilson.

Schooner City of San Diego was lying in the bay this morning ready to proceed to sen. She will be the first of the scaling flect to sail. Capt. Folger is in command, and there is a crew of 21 men aboard. The vessel after leaving here will go direct south.

The ship C. F. Sargent, which return-d last week in a leaking condition, will ot be hauled out on the ways. Capt. Idville said this morning that he has of all the leaks stopped, and is now only aiting for some new pumps to arrive rom San Francisco.

from San Francisco.
Several of the crew of the lost High-land Light left for the Sound yesterday evening. They have been paid, and hav-ing had from \$40 to \$60 coming to them in wages are not in any distress. Steamer Deutchsland, from Hamburg, Plymouth and Cherbourg, arrived off Fire island at 9.20 a. m. to-day.

Steamer Amur arrived at Vancouver rom Skagway this morning, and will each here this afternoon.

The John C. Potter, which arrived yeserday, is to carry one or two cargoes of pal to Juneau.

TANSFER OF COMMAND.

Regiment-Other Regimental

Fifth Regiment from Lieut.-Col. Gregory to Major Monro has taken place. district order announcing it was included in the following regimental order issued ast evening by the new C. O.; Major

No. 1 Co.—Sergt.-Major F. M. Russell having been granted his discharge, is struck off the strength of the regiment, 28th November, 1901.
The commanding officer has been

28th November, 1901.

The commanding officer has been pleased to approve the following promotions in No. 1 Co.: To be company scrgeam: major, Acting Company Sergt. Major E. R. Vigor, vice Russell, discharged, 18th June, 1901. To be sergenat, Corp. J. A. Sweet, vice Vigor, promoted 2nd December, 1901. To be corporal, Bombr. W. Pumfrey, vice Sweet, promoted 18th June, 1901. To be bombardiers, Grs. H. Carne, J. M. Little, and S. Booth vice Nesbitt, Hayward and Pumfrey, promoted, 18th June, 1901.

The tenure of command of Lt.-Cot.
F. B. Gregory having expired and as the
regimental arms, accountements and
clothing, etc., have been taken over by
Major R. R. Monro, Lt.-Col. Gregory is
hereby relieved from regimental duty
pending his transfer to the reserve of

"Major R. R. Monro will assume com-mand of the Fifth Regiment, C. A., from "J. G. Holmes, Lt.-Col., D. O. C. 11." the

THE STAGE SERVICE.

ni-Weekly Schedule to Be Provided By White Pass & Yukon Co.

By White Pass & Yukon Co.

Winter bulletin No. 2, of the White Pass & Yukon route, just issued by the company, says the Seattle Post-Intelligencer, contains the announcement of the establishment of the overland stage service between White Horse and Dawson. It will be in operation some time during the present week.

Mail, passengers, freight and express will all be carried from Skagway to White Horse by rail and from White ecompany has not sufficient stock and equipment on hand to run a daily service, for the present passenger, mail and express stages will leave only twice a week, on Wednesdays and Saturdays. The regular fare from Skagway to Dawson will be \$110, and from White Horse \$100.

The passenger stages will run on five

son will be \$110, and from white Horse \$100.

The passenger stages will run on five and one-half day schedule, although the actual-running time is expected to be much less. Later on, when the trail becomes well broken and conditions become favorable, the running time will be reduced very considerably. Each sleigh will have accommodations for ten passengers, 1,000 pounds of baggage and 1,000 pounds of mail and express, Fresh teams will be supplied at each station, and no team will travel more than 25 miles. The stages will stop at the road houses over night, where the passengers will sleep, all traveling being by daylight.

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regulations are necessary in regard to
the carrying of baggage and figsight.

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nound, according to the quantity. Any
baggage which does exceed these dimensions will be held and sent through
by freight. No piece of freight over, 14
feet in length and five feet in width
and height will be carried, or any piece
which weighs more than 3,000 pounds.

The freight rates will be 30 and 40
cents per pound, according to character.

A mail service is also established to

cents per pound, according to character,
A mail service is also established to
Atlin, via the "Fan" trail, leaving on
Monday and Thursday of each week.
The same class of mail is handled as on
the Dawson ran,
The run of 380 miles between White
Horse and Dawson is broken by 15 road
houses, where the teams will be changed,
and at some of which all-night stops will
be made. These are at intervals of
about 25 miles, the longest distance between any two being 30 miles, between
Upper and Lower La Barge.

"FRA DIAVOLO" LAST NIGHT.

The following district order dated December 3rd, 1901, is published for infor-

The Grau company last night present ence, and although many a better per-formance has been seen here, the com-pary sustained the good impression created by their excellent production of "El Capitan" on the previous evening. The part of the dashing brigand chief was taken by Robert Dunbar, who was the comman's tenor in years gone by.

was taken by Robert Dunbar, who was the company's tenor in years gone by. His voice is not as clear as it was then, but he can roll his eyes just as savagely and lend the same degree of grace to the role which characterized his portrayal of one of the beggar students in the opera of that name. The part of Fra Diayolo requires an expert poseur, and Mr. Dunbar looked and acted the role admirably.



he second game in the senior series. Victoria District League will be play Saturday between the Columbias a Victorias. This is the first time the teams have met "this season, and I game is anticipated. The Victor will be the same as defeated Nanai week, and they will try and uphe

. L. York and S. Lorimer. following is the Columbia team J. Marshall; backs, S. Shanks and by; half backs, J. Hart, A. Netherby Gartley; forwards, C. Berkeley; R. Wilson, J. Hunter and J. Lawser

Victoria West, and the junior westers and High school. It are expected to be most excitin contested. The former will 3 o'clock sharp, and as the Cobeen working hard for some the purpose of defeating. West boys on this occasion, I be said that the football ex-

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OUR WRATHY NEIGHBOR.

Our highly esteemed and lofty-minded

One highly extremed and lotty-minded contemporary was in a fewcious mode thoughts entirely worthy of the morning, and gave utterance to a few mode thoughts entirely worthy of interactions formshed by each indicated in the content of the morning o without unnecessary puffery, that his presence in the Legislature at the present time could not but redound to the should always keep HAGVARDS.

during the last Dominion campaign it published pictures of the two Liberal candidates. Quite true. But the personal ambitions of our contemporary's chief proprietor were not then represented by the Conservative candidates. Gircumstances alter cases.

The Premier as the chief proprietor of the Colonist dictates its policy. That annot be denied. Mr. Bodwell is in the ill uphold the cause of the Themselves and street and street

government, if such an one can be found. Many insects hear and breathe with the a matter about which there seems to some apparatus.

be grave doubts at the present time. Th eribers in the dark as far as lies in its power in regard to the political situasertion of advertisements. That is a nusual state of affairs in the history of Canadian journalism. If Mr. Dunsmuir one ambition is to advance the interestr of "his native province," why not meet whatever opposition comes in his way in a straight-forward fashion? The fact that Mr. Bodwell is a candidate canno be hidden. Let his arguments be met turn his position, and defeat him at the

The Times acknowledges candidly that it depends upon the public patronage for a livelihood. It cannot afford to turn afford to misrepresent or ignore munity. Possibly if it had millions be of its less fortunate contemporaries compensations. It keeps individuals and institutions in the paths of rectitude.

ne difficulty in prevailing upon candidate to come forth in opposition to Mr. Bodwell. Now there is Mr. Lugrin He has long been known to be possessed of political ambitions. He is clever, a good speaker, filled to the top of his conceivable subject. He is not easily abashed by apparent obstacles. He has the talents necessary in a Cabinet Min-ister. It is even said he has cast eyes full of longing in the direction of a cer tain department. The Premier may not 'umbleness are well known. The upon potentates and barons is also well known, Backbitings and jealousies ofte keep men of genius in the background his obvious duty. There is no reaso diately, as it is obviously having i had effect upon the temper of a certain person. Let the Premier put Mr. Lugrin in the field. The will do its part in spreading the glad tidings abroad. ompels the admission that the fight would be a most interesting one.

The Point Ellice bridge controversy mly second in interest to the provincia political situation at the present time, ndeed it is second to that. H. Snow, a member of the Associatio of American Civil Engineers, makes the following statement in a paper printed capt. Wolley's Forcible Lecture on in the organ of the society which seems Mongolian Question Before to have a direct bearing upon the ten ders which were recently opened here:

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a meeting last evening, when routine business was transacted. The members afterwards attended the meeting of the British Empire League.

SWEET CAPORAL CIGARETTES.

A Large Shipment of

Ping Pong

Tennis Sets

Also Extra Balls.

M.W. Waitt & Co.

44 GOVERNMENT STREET

Syndicate Negotiating for Land.

Perth. Out., Dec. 5.—Mr. Joseph Cram, of Beckwith, has been nominated by the South Lanark Liberals to contest the rid-

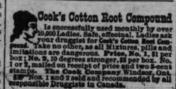
Appeal for Ald.

Quebec, Dec. 5.—An urgent appeal has been received from Governor Commetant, of Anticosti, calling for medical and other aid to check the ravages of diphtheria, which has assumed almost the proportions of an epidemic.

Shoal Lake, Dec. 5.—Thos. Shepperd, a farmer, llving about 2 miles from here, was found dead yesterday morning about a mile. Fine Quality Satin Finished Damask

Winnipeg. Dec. 5.—It is understood that negotiations are under way for the purchase of a large block of land, aucounting, it is said, to about 290,000 acres, by an American syndicate from the W. E. Sanford estate. Mr. R. T. Elley, manager of the estate, said that he had recently shown some people over the land, which is in the vicinity of Westbourne and around Lake Manittoba, but that nothing definite has been done as yet.

How many coal companies in British Columbia have given the people the opportunity of buying shares in monthly calls of 5 ceuts each, with non-forfeiture clause, meaning you get shares for cash paid in in any event.



No. 1 and No. 2 are sold in Victoria

_Silk Sale COMMENCES FRIDAY, 10 A. M. As usual we make Big Reductions on all Fancy Silks for this month, as follows: 58 pieces Fancy Blouse Silks; regular, \$1 00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 22 pieces Fancy Stripe and Embroidered Silks; regular, \$1.50 to \$2 00 30 pieces Heavy Broche Silks, all dark colors; regular, \$1.50 to \$2 00 Sale price, 90c yard Sale price, \$1.15 All at 35c yard Sale price, 75c Sale price, \$5.50 each

December

Ladies' French Dress Goods 15 Pieces Fancy Dress Goods, Silk

A Special Glove Bargain

Dressed Kid Gloves; usual price, \$1.00 and \$1.25; (all sizes).....

.... Friday 75c, pai by Mr. C. Spencer, who is now East.)

Other Glove Values

Men's and Boys' Kid Gloves (lined). .50c Buskskin Driving Gloves \$1.25

Handkerchief Department

Special Purchase

Silk Handkerchiets Pure Silk Handkerchiefs, Hemstitched, heavy weight; special

Twilled Silk Handkerchiefs i... 50c. and 75c. each These are by far the best values we have ever given.)

Silverware Department

A large assortment of all kinds of a ((See special display of 50c. articles.)

. . . Christmas Linens

year for bringing forth their new table and fancy linens. Some special Children's Felt Bonnets, trimmed with lace, were 50c...Friday 25c

Linen Damask, Bleached

Flannel Waists

SPENCER'S

Friday Sales of More Than Ordinary Interest.

Flannel, stripes and spots, colors Navy, Sky, Cardinal, Black, Mauve, Pink; regular price \$2.50 \$1.50 each

Shoe Department Special For Friday

(Children's Shoes, sizes 11 to 2) colate Dongola Kid, with heel, laced, regular \$2.50; Friday \$1.25 pr Black Heavy Sole Rubber Heel Boots, good fitting; regular \$2.75;

For Christmas

A few left of the Heavy Tan Boots: regular \$4.50, \$5.00 and \$5.50;

In the Mantle Room

Two Hundred New Jackets for Children, 1/2 and 3/4 length, sizes 1 to 7; prices \$2.50 to \$7.50, according to size

nk, Blue, Red and White Eiderdown Dressing Jackets \$1.50 and \$2.00 each

Toys at 25c

Dolls, Dishes, Balls, Large Jack-in-Box, Blocks, Trams, Musical Rolles, Skip-ping Ropes, Walking Bears, Walk-ing Clowns, Trumpets, Horns, Beds, Cradles, Animals of all kinds, Chimes.

(Bring the children to see the toys.) Millinery

Department Children's Bonnets and Hats at Half Price and Less,

Felt Bonnets, fur trimmed, were \$2.00.... Friday \$1.00 ine Ouality Satin Finished Damask Silk and Velvet Hats, were \$2.50 Better Ones, were \$3.00... Friday \$1.50

Fine Furnishings

they wear, House Coats, Overcoats Ties, Gloves, etc.

With the large quantities we buy, we never lose sight of the value of

We show styles that won't be shown

House Coats

..... \$5.75, \$7.50 and \$10.00

Three New Tie Shapes

The Lipton, Shamrock and Pointer. Special display of Ties on Tables, so it is easy for you to make a selection TIE BARGAINS-Pure Silk Ties, with silk lining 25c. each (See Window for Tie Bargains.)

Men's Underwear

\$1.50 Quality for 75c Men's Fine Wool Shirts and Draw ers, color, dark green, and that seems to be the reason for them not selling at \$1.50, but they will go at 75c. each Friday Men's Flannelette Shirts, without collar, usual 85c.....Friday 50e

MEN'S SOCK VALUES. All Wool Socks, heavy, usual value 25c.; special3 pairs for 50c Men's light weight, wool socks; special...... 3 pairs for 50c

Boys' Clothing Fancy Suits Reduced

boys these Christmas suits, \$3,50, \$3.75 and \$4.25 suits. Friday \$2.50 Fancy Suits (few sizes only)

.... Friday \$1.90 The Nobblest Suits we are showing are the Russian Blouse suits \$4.75, \$5.75 and \$7.50 Russian Overcoats \$5.00 and \$5.75

Men's Raincoats

SEE BROAD STREET WINDOWS.

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Overcoats

Are under consideration, it doesn't matter whether the decision is long or short, light, medium, or heavy weight, black, brown or gray-they're here, ready.

\$12 to \$25. Youths' \$9 to \$12

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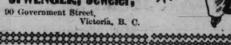
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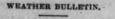
98 GOVERNMENT STREET.

Suitable Xmas Presents

Pearl Brooches and Pendants Of the most beautiful designs, we are showing in great variety. If you are selecting gifts, one of these will be a most satisfactory purchase. We have them at all prices for

J. WENGER, Jeweler,





Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria. Dec. 5.—5 a. m.—An ocean low barometer area is moving down the Coast to California, where it is causing a general rainfail, while over Cariboo a cold wave has appeared which may cause temporary cold weather on the Coast, then cross the Territories, accompanied in Territories, accompanied by zero tempera-tures. The weather is fair throughout British Columbia and the adjoining states, and light snow has fallen in Cariboo and

For 20 hours ending 5 p.m. Friday.
Victoria and vicinity—Northerly and egasterly winds, fair and colder, becoming unsettled again on Friday.
Lower Mainiand—Northerly or easterly winds, fair and colder, followed by rain on Friday.

Reports,
Victoria—Barometer, 20.92; temperature,
44; mtdimum, 39; wind, 4 miles E.; rain,
47; weather, cloudy.
New Westminster—Barometer, 20.96; temperature, 38; minimum, 38; wind, 4 miles
E.; rain, 04; weather, fair,
Kamloops—Barometer, 30.00; temperature,
34; minimum, 32; wind, calm; weather,
clear.

S. W. BODLEY, Special Agent.

Let us spray your handkerchief, so you

CHEMIST.

Leave your order for a Turkey for Thanksgiving, also some nice Cranber-ries. Mowat & Wallace.

-A detachment of Northwest Mount-ed Police arrived in Vancouver on Tnes-day. The men leave to-day for the North.

—If you cannot go "home" at Xmas send your photo. Sit now at Skene Lowe's studio. This will insure the best and avoid delay.

-Work at ballasting the new extension of the Victoria & Sidney railway commenced this morning. The track has now been laid down First street as far as King's road.

On January 1st, 1902, Similkameen Valley Coal Company, Limited, shares advance to \$1.00; a purchase of 1,000 shares now means a net profit of \$650.00 by January 1st. A fair Christmas present

The favorite route from this city to Nanaimo is now by the Victoria & Sidney railway and steamer Iroquois. Train leaves every Monday and Thursday at 7 a.m. Single fare \$1.50. Return, good for ten days, \$2.50.

The provincial department of immigration and information has received a letter from C. B. Christansen, of the Scandinavian colony at Cape Scott, in which he predicts a large influx of his countrymen to the San Josef valley, on the West Coast, next spring. The valley is situated between Quatsino and Cape Scott.

—Exciting contest on Saturday at Caledonia Park at 3 o'clock.

—A few nice Albums at half price.

J. Johnston, Douglas street.

Gorgonzola, Roquefort and Swiss Cheese, at Mowat & Wallace, Grocers. corner Yates and Douglas Sts.

—George Stephens and Mrs. Cordelia Leeds, of Tacoma, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony by Rev. Elliott S. Rowe last evening.

Chape Scott.

—Service will be held in the synagogue on Friday evening at 7.30 o'clock, when the subject of the structure will be "A Plea for Religious Fellowship." On Saturday morning service will commence at 9 o'clock, when the subject of the Shown by the Maccabees." A special "Channkah" service will be held on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock, when Rev. Montague N. A. Cohen will address the children. The Feast of Dedication, commemorating the signal defeat of the Syrian arms in 103, B.C., commences the commence of the Syrian arms in 103, B.C., commences of the Syrian arms in 103, B.C., commences by a special service will be "A plea for Religious Fellowship." On Saturday morning service will be "A special "Channkah" service will be held in the subject of the

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The popular steamer Rosalie sails at 9 a. m. daily, except Saturday, from Hudson's Bay Co.'s Wharf for Seattle and other Puget Sound Points. E. E. Blackwood, Agent.

—A commercial traveller for large wholesale liquor house reports that the hotel men of the Kootenays are fully aware of the vast difference between the spurious imitations of Kola Wine and the old established genuine brand, which has the trade mark of bunch of celery or green background.

The popular steamer Rosalie sails at permanent stock of the B. C. Permanent Loon & Savings Co., which was selling at par about two years ago, and which had gone up to twelve dollars above par by the early part of the present year, is now up to \$130.00 per share or thirty dollars above par, being a rise of eighteen dollars above par by the carly part of the present year, A representative of English capitalists who has spent some time in Vancouver interviewing bankers, financiers and others as to the standing and securities of the British Columbia Permanent Loon & Savings Co., has interviewed the manager of the company and offered to invest fifty thousand pounds in the company at a low rate of interest.

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Piver's Le Trede-incarnat, Perfume, Paris,
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—To the Citizens of Victoria:—After carefully investigating the affairs and assets of the Similkameen Valley Coal Company, Limited, coupled with the report of W. Blakemore, one of Canada's best known authorities on coal, I have no hesitation in recommending the stock of the company as a good and safe investment. Ashnola is also owned by the some company, and offered to invest that the object of the meeting was to received the reports of the different sub-committees engaged in taking a census of the city in the interests of the Similkameen Valley Coal Company, Limited, coupled with the report of W. Blakemore, one of Canada's best known authorities on coal, I have no hesitation in recommending the stock of the company as a good and safe investment. Ashnola is also owned by the some company, and offered to invest of the state, of the lot at the norfh end of James Bay bridge, owned by the Donald Fraser than the schoolroom of Christ Church of the schoolroom of Christ Church of the chair, and there was a very large attendance. It was explained that the object of the meeting as to received the reports of the different sub-committees engaged in taking a census of the city in the interests of the Similkameen Valley Coal Company. Limited, coupled with the report of W. Blakemore, one of Canada's best known authorities on coal, I have no hesitation in recommending the stock of the company as a good and safe investment. Ashnola is also owned by the some company, and offered the chair, and there was a point of the Victoria. West division. The following distributing committee was about the Victoria was taken.

Sweet Caporal Cigarettes.

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Sportsmen, get your shotgun cert-ridges from Henry Short & Sons, and be sure of the best. All kinds on hand at lowest prices.

A meeting of the streets, bridges and sewers committee of the city council will be held to-morrow afternoon at 2.30 at the city hall.

-Another public meeting will be held in Odd Fellows' hall, Spring Ridge, to-morrow night for the purpose of discuss-ing live subjects, including the bridge question

December 15th Similkameen Valley Coal Company's shares advance to 50 cents. Purchase 100 shares at once, and make a net profit of \$150.00 on your investment before January 1st, 1902. What more can you want?

—A return basketball match will be played at the drill hall on Saturday night between the J. B. A. A. and the Fernwood basketball teams. The last game between these two teams was won by the J. B. A. A. with a score of 21 to 10.

The police have notified express vehicle drivers that they must take the stands provided for them in the by-law. These are centre of Yates street east of Douglas, centre of Yates street west of Langley, centre of Fort street west of Langley, centre of Wharf street and centre of Government north of Government.

—A special meeting of the city council will be held in the committee room of the city hall to-morrow afternoon commencing at 3 o'clock, for the purpose of dealing with the Point Ellice bridge question, as announced in the letter from the mayor to some of the aldermen, which was published in these columns last evening.

Altogether about 50 men are employed in the James Bay improvement work, in which good progress is being made. Some are engaged in cutting off the piles and removing the mad from between them to leave room for the loose stones to be placed there, while others are extending the surface drain through the flats to the harbor.

—A public meeting will be held in the city hall to night to receive the report of the special committee appointed to draft a constitution for the Tourist Association of Victoria. Addresses will be delivered by several prominent speakers, and the meeting should be well attended. Great interest has been aroused in the movement, and there is a general desire to give it hearty support.

-You will never buy Similkameen Valley Coal Company, Limited, shares for less than 35 cents. On December 15th shares advance to 50 cents; January 1st, 1902 to \$1.00; February 1st, to \$2.00; March 1st to \$3.00, and as comparison there is no reason why they should not advance to \$40.00 in one year, as the Crow's Nest shares did in a like period. Don't say this cannot be done, for it has been and will be.

The charge of an infraction of the Revenue By-Law preferred against Joshua Davies was withdrawn in the police court this morning, the defendant having paid his six months' auctioneer's license, and the costs. Roderick Mc Kinnon was fined \$5 or ien days for drunkenness. Ah Fook, an old offender, was charged with an infraction of the Street By-Law. He backed his vehicle across a sidewalk on Fisguard street. He was fined \$5. Ah Fook, while quite a familiar figure in police court circles, always manages to come up on a different charge. To his credit it might be said that he never repeats one offence, as there are many others in the category of contraventions open to him. Low Chip is wanted for an infraction of the Street By-Law also, but up to this morning the summons had not been served. Low has probably made himself scarce.

\$100,000.00

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Some specially nice American Slippers, in felt, serge and quilted satin, fur bound and felt lined.

Matrons' kid slippers with elastic front and warm felt lining.

Boys', Misses' and Children's Good serviceable, comfortable Slippers, in leather, felt or carpet, all prices from 60e, up.

Enjoy Your Evenings at Home by Wearinga Pair of Our Warm, Easy House Slippers.

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Friday Bargains

The Westside offers greater attractions than ever before in Friday Bargain specials. The public gains because of our methods of merchandising. Grand opportunities to-morrow in almost every department to secure suitable and reliable goods for Holiday Gifts. Be sure you call and see them.

SILK UNDERSKIRT BARGAIN

Ladies' Sllk Underskirts

Ladies' handsome Taffeta
Silk Underskirts, in
beautiful shades of Blue,
Cardinal, Pink and
Black, made with extra
wide double floure,
fully corded and lined
throughout. Regular
value \$6.25.
FRIDAY \$4.00

Ladles' Sateen Underskirts

Underskirts, made with 10-inch flounce, richly tucked and frilled, incolors Blue, Cardinal and Furple. Regular, value \$2.50 \$1.75

A FLURRY IN FURS

An opportune purchase of Ladies' Nock Furs enables us to offer two of the greatest bargains in these goods ever offered before.
LADIES' NEW BROWN AND BLACK RUSSIAN CONEY NECK FURS, with 4 full tails. Regular value 80c. each. FRIDAY
LADIES' GREY OPPOSUM RUFFS, with 2 full tails, very stylioh gar.

100 ment. Regular value \$2.50 each. FRIDAY

Rainy Day Skirts at

Ladles' Aprons at Ladies' White Lawn Aprons, with bith and straps, tucked and trilled with Swiss Embroidery, Regular value 40c, each, FRIDAY... 30c

Flannelette Wrappers at Ladles' Stylish Plannelette
Wrappers, cut in the latest
style, with wide frilled
flounce. Regular value \$1.75
\$1.25



Sale of Winter Blouses

LADIES HEAVY FLANNELETTE BLOUSES,

neat stripe and color combinations, cut in the new-est style. Regular value \$1.75 to \$2.00. \$1.25 Ladies' French Flannel

Shirt Waists Neatly tucked front, and trimmed with fancy Gilt Braid, cut in the latest military style. \$2.50 Regular value \$4.00. FRIDAY

Ladies' Kid Gloves at Feather Fans at

90c Fancy Feather Fans, in Gold, Blue, Pink, Black and White, Regular 50c Leather Chatelaines at

Scotch Linoleums at Rinck Seal Grain Leather chains, with fancy chain of the choicest designs. Regular value 50 cents 35c and 60c, square yard.

Regular Value

Comforts at
Heavy Wadded Comforters, Sates covered. Regular value \$1.50

30c STERLING SILVER AT 25c

sterling Silver Ink Erasers, sterling Silver Curling Tongs sterling Silver Top Salte Jars sterling Silver Top Salt and Pepterling Silver Na'l Brushes sterling Silver Na'l Brushes sterling Silver Topth Brushes, sterling Silver Topth Brushes, sterling Silver Paper Knives 50c each FRIDAY 250 Galsha Allks at Fancy Stock Collars at

Swiss Embroidery at Tancy Swiss Embroidery, beautifully designed. Regular values 75c., 10c. yard.

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Hes' Fancy Tucked Satin Stock Pink and Black. Regular 35c. Fancy Lace at etty Fancy White Laces. Regu-ar value 7½c. and 10c. per yard.

Taffetta Ribbon at

These beautiful trimmed Hats are sure to be a success, being exact copies of some of the finest Parisian models, Regular value 85.50 to \$10.00 \$4.75

Taffetta Ribbon a Plain Taffeta Siik Ribbon, in all the new colors, specially adapted for neckwear purposes. Regular value 25c., 30c., per yard. Ladies' Hosiery and Vests

A Bargain in season becomes doubly a Bargain, occially when such prices as these are attached to wool, shaped. Regular value \$1.10. PRI-DAY
LADIES LAMES WOOL DRAWERS, all wool, all staces. Regular value \$1.10 pair, FRI-DAY
LADIES FAST BLACK CASHMERE HOSE, beels and took full fashloned. Regular value 30c, pair, FRIDAY
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Eiderdown Quilts at here's an ocean of comfort in one of these Real Elderdown Quilts, covered with fine Floral Sateens. Regular value \$4.25

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Linen Table Cloths at lite Pamask Table Cloths, at lite Pamask Table Cloths,

Men's Mufflers at

COMFORT HOSE

Fringed Cloths at White Quilts at

The Mutcheson Company Ld., Victoria, B. C.



Mining Yews

Rossland Camp.

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The shipments of ore from the Rossland camp for the week ending last night are the largest since work was resumed in the mines on September 1st last, says Sunday's Rossland Miner. The aggregate runs over the 6,000 mark, an achievement that every Rosslander will hall with pleasure. A scrutiny of the figures will demonstrate that the output of the Le Roi mine is within a few tons of the product at any time in the history of the property. The mine could undoubtedly have sent out the double shipment on one of the days of the week had the cars been available. The Le Roi No. 2 is rapidly becoming a large producer of ore. If last week's record is maintained for a twelvemonth, the mine will have to its credit a total output of almost 80,000 tons. out of almost 80,000 tons.

The Output.

The output for the week ending Nov-

as follows:		Alle A
		cons-
	Week.	Year
Le Roi	4,200	145,788
Le Rot No. 2	1,500	- 33,710
Centre Star		54,648
War Engle		20,100
Rossland G. W	375	9,731
Iron Mask		3,733
Homestake		20
Homestake	-	230
Spitzee		200
Velvet		503
Monte Cristo		20
		74
Glant	2000	52
Fortland		24
- series in the first title	- 111	18.00
Totals	6.075	268,993

the commencement of underground is only a lays. nctive operations undematter of a few days.

- WEEKLY WEATHER SYNOPSIS.

Victoria Meteorological Office, 27th Nov. to 3rd Dec., 1901.

The weather during this week has been remarkably cloudy, and rain has fallen upon every day but one. This was due to the constant hovering of a portion of the great Pacific low area over this province and the adjoining states, while from the Coast of California inland to the plateau region, including the Canadian Territories, the barometer remained high. Upon Saturday, the last day of November, the barometer fell rapidly in this vicinity in advance of a storm area from the ocean, which, as it many mothers blessing Dr. Pitcher and his winderful Backache Kidney and Georgia. The following day was comparatively fair over the Pacific slope, with a tendency along this Coast for dry northerly winds. On Monday, 2nd Dec., another occan storm area crossed northern British Columbia, and caused a general rain west of the Cascades and thunder and lightning at both New Westminster and Caple Flattery. This disturbance was followed on Tuceday, 3rd, by one of the severest widespread storms of the season. As the centre of this storm passed across Vancouver Island, the Victoria barometer fell to 29 inches, and the wind increased to a gale from the southeast, shifting to southwest as the centre moved inland. During this day a southerly gale also prevailed along the American coast as far southward as San Francisco. With the exception of two days, the weather has been remarkably mild between the ranges, particularly about the Thompson river yalley, where the temperature rose to 56 on Nov. 27th, and caused a rapid melting of the snow upon the mountains. The weather has also been mild in Alberta, and with the exception of two days considerably above zero in Manitoba.

Victoria—Bright sunshine recorded was 3 hours and 2 minutes; rain, 1.09 inch; highest temperature, 56 on 27th; lowest, 32 on 2nd.

New Westminster—Rainfall, .200 inches; bighest temperature, 56 on 27th; lowest, 32 on 2nd.

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Barkerville—Rainfall, .58 inch; highest temperature, 46 on 28th; lowest, 18 on 2nd.

MOUNTAIN MOVEMENTS.

was the remark of an officer of the Denver and Rio, Grande road recently in speaking of the great landslides in the canon above Glenwood Springs, Colo, "We find from actual experience in maintaining tunnels, bridges and tracks in the mountains that the mountains are

we man troth actual experience in maintaining tumpels, bridges and tracks in the mountains that the mountains are moving. It costs -a railway passing through the mountains a great deal of money in the course of ten years to keep the tracks in -line, and maintenance of tunnels is even more expensive. Drive a stake on the side of a mountain, take the location with the greatest care, and return after a few months. The stake is not in the same location. The whole side of the mountain has moved. This experiment has often been tried, and in all cases the result proves that the mountains are gradually seeking the level of the sea."

While we do not agree with the last assertion that "the mountains are seeking the sea level," there appears no question but that local movements are in progress in the Rockies, and the observations of the railroad surveyor are confirmed by those experienced in some of the mines. In quite a number of mines located on fissure veins or between highly tilted strata, or in the vicinity of great faults, movements have been for a long time observed, and sometimes of so pronounced a nature that timbers after a few years are found so out of place as to require a complete new timbering of portions of the mine, find these movements do not seem to be the result, as in coal mines, of a creeping from excavation of material, but actaal slipping or faulting movements of the mountain itself along certain lines, especially obleant faulting movements of the mountain itself along certain lines, especially old fault planes and veins, the latter generally occupying fissures along fault lines.

A notable instance is in the mines of

Nickel Plate.—The work in the Rossland Great Western's property has proceeded without feature of special interest. The usual mining operations are week the operations have gone ahead steadily.

O. K.—The prospect work at the O. K. mine has gone ahead steadily during the first snowfall sufficient to make sleighing will see ore moving down to the Red Mountain railroad for shipment. The usual mining operations are under way steadily.

Centre Star.—The pumping operations at the Centre Star mine are still under way and the unwatering of the mine is proceeding rapidly.

New St. Elmo.—The work in the west drift has been prosecuted steadily during the week with a small force, and good progress has been made.

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Rev. J. A. McCallen's Lecture.

On the occasion of a lecture delivered before a large and appreciative audience in Windsor Hall, Montreal, in honor of the Pather Matthew anniversary, Rev. J. A. McCallen, S.S., of St. Patrick's Church, and President of St. Patrick's Total Abstinence Society, paid the following grand tribute to the value of Mr. Dixon's new discovery for the cure of alcohol and drug habits.

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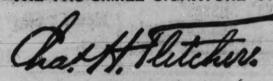
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W. S. GORE,
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Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., 3rd December, 1901.

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Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B.C., 2nd November, 1901. NOTICE.

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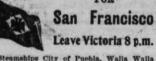
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Provincial News

Manufacturing Company, the secretary reported the council had instructed him to communicate with the leading business houses of the city to see what arrangements could be made to effect a more expeditions delivery of freight between Vancouver and Ladysmith, V. I., than that obtainable by the present route, via the Joan to Nanaimo. The railway company had agreed to run a local mixed car once a week per the railway rery provided a minimum return of \$20 per round trip was secured. From the replies received it appeared that little freight was shipped from here light overcoat, intercepted Mr. Becker at that point, and ordered him to hold his hands up. Mr. Becker was robbed of five dollars. Another masked man tried to hold up H. M. Thomson with a revolver, and a fight ensued. Thomson with a revolver, and a fight ensued. Thomson was bruised considerably by the footpad's fists. The footpad ran away after being severely beaten and knocked down

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structed to notify the provincial executive and other associations of the paisage of the resolution and urging associations that had not already done so to take similar action. The meeting being the annual one President Brown reviewed the work done during the year and complimented Secretary Wilson upon the efficient work done by him. Officers were then elected as follows: President, J. R. Brown (re-elected); vice-president, C. J. Mearthur; secretary-treagurer, C. W. Wilson (re-elected); vice-president, C. J. Mearthur; secretary-treagurer, C. W. Wilson (re-elected). Executive, C. Scott Galloway, Ald. Ross, Ald. Sullivan, A. Crowston, W. S. Graham, J. H. Me-Farlane. The executive were authorized to arrange for holding a public meeting to discuss provincial pratters.

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MR. JUSTICE MARTIN ON SECRETARY'S ACTS

Suggests That Criminal Proceedings Be Commenced-Lowenberg & Harris v. Dunsmuir Still in Progress.

fore Mr. Justice Martin the case of Milne vs. Macdonell was adjourned until

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knew that such an examination of officers as Mr. Higgins contended for could not be had until all material which would support a charge of misfeasance could be placed in the hands of examining counsel, and this could not be done until the audit was complete. The directors desired to use all economy in conducting the winding-up, and all reasonable efforts to hasten the audit were being used; and nothing could be gained now by departing from the programme which was being pursued, as all property of the late accretary had been taken over, a judgment entered against him, and bonds accepted which were being realized upon.

The arguments of counsel occupied considerable time, and at their conclusion His Lordship stated that the merits of this application turned upon the interpretation which should be given the word "neglect" in section 24 of the act. In his opinion the intention of the act was to permit a shareholder to take proceedings on his own account only when the liquidator would take all necessary proceedings, and therefore dismissed the present application with costs.

His Lordship said further that he wished to state in the most public manner that in his opinion the conduct of the late secretary of the society should be brought to the notice of the authorities, and he authorized Mr. Higgins to forward a copy of the evidence of one of the directors taken upon cross-examination to the proper authorities in order that criminal proceedings might be commenced if necessary.

In reply Mr. Higgins stated that he lid not feel it incumbent upon him to take the responsibility of such a course upon his own shoulders.

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DELIGHTFUL MUSICAL PROGRAMME GIVEN

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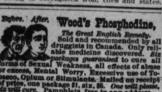
When the immense audience rose last night at the Institute hall as the Arion Club choir struck the opening chord, full, ringing and soul irspiring, of "God Save the King," and listened to the beautifully balanced and blended voices render that simple, but always appealing air, the remark went the rounds, put interrogatively, "This is not the last number?" But it was, although for some reason it was not on the programme, and the audience filed out regretfully, forgetful of the fact that they had been sitting there for nearly three hours listening to a programme that gave delight all round, and disappointment to only those who expected to find fault, if there were any such there. To individualise in the matter of mentioning the work of any of the performers would be perhaps unfair, as some might be overlooked. But it is no flattery and no exaggeration to say that it would be difficult to obtain better results from the voices at present composing the choir, and so that there may be no question of mental reservation in such a statement, it may be remarked that the results mentioned are such as to be more than highly creditable to any first class professional organization of the same kind. Encores were frequent, asked for in a spirit showing marked appreciation of a cultured and critical audience. Of course all this does not mean that the Arion Club has reached the perfection mark, there are still little rough phases to be smoothed off, but this is unavoidable.

The club was assisted by Mrs. Whittlesey, who was announced in the programme as "a contraito from Seattle,

Milne vs. Macdonell was adjourned until the next sittings of the court, pending the result of negotiations for cettlement. The case of Sumner vs. Leberry was likewise stood over until next sittings. Mitchell vs. Chungranes is set for hearing at 10.30 to-morrow morning.

In Lowenberg, Harris & Co, vs. The club was assisted by Mrs. Whittensy the control of the programme as "a contralto from Seattle, Wash." This was a very poor introduction for such a singer, but the lady made up for it by winning everyone's heart with a voice that was full of melody and some days yet.

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	Spring Ridge	165	164.79	88.9
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ì	Victoria West	303	262.22	86.54
Į	Hillside	153	132.00	86,27
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Members of Mr. Bodwell's Committee Express Disapproval of Its Course.

The action of thee Colonist in refusing to accept even an advertisement from Mr.
Biodwell's committee has excited much surprised comment, although the morning
paper to-day expressed the opinion that
there were not five of the committee who
would endorse what the Times had said

of these gentlemen, casually, on the street to-day their opinion of the Colonist's action. and the sentiment among them was unani-

and the sentiment among them was unanimously condemnatory,

"It is a most foolish thing," said the reteran politician, Robt, Beaven, "and further, I think it a matter of regret that a paper which the public has supported so long is reduced to a state where it won't print news and doesn't want ads." He added that in his political carreer he had added that in his political carreer he had added that in his political career he had not seen newspapers refuse to insert such notices, when payment was proffered for them, and that the refusal of the Premier's organ to print such notice was a confession of political weakness most gratifying to Mr. Bodwell's committee.

D. W. Higgins, as an old newspaper man, stamped the Colonist's attitude as unprecedented.

MARINE NOTES



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THE PERMANENT STOCK of the B. C. Permanent Loan & Savings Co., which was offered for sale at \$125 per share, has all been sold, and the directors of the company are now offering another block of fifty shares for sale at \$130 per share. Of the sale as took of this class is positively the last block of this class is positively the last block of this class of the best of the sold, as the share-holders of the best of the sold, as the share-holders of the two worth, and which thousand dollars' worth and which thousand dollars' worth has most successful of twe thousand dollars' worth, and continued the sold, leaving a small balance of five thousand dollars' worth, or fifty shares. Those who wish to become holders of Permanent Stock in this most successful of Western Canadhan companies will have to decide very soon.

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white on breast and between eyes. Finds, kindly return to D. E. Campbell, druggist. Anyone found harboring same after this notice will be prosecuted.

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